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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please make the following preliminary amendments to the claims:

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- (Once Amended) A teleconferencing system for conducting a teleconference among a 2. plurality of participants comprising:
- (a) a plurality of\workstations each having a monitor for displaying visual images, and AV capture and reproduction capabilities for capturing and reproducing video images and spoken audio of the participants;
- **(b)** a first network providing a data path along which data can he shared among a plurality of the workstations;

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